



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Docket No. 1535)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

## **TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
    - a) Response to Office Action Mailed September 8, 2004;
    - b) Form PTO-1449; and
    - b) Return Receipt Postcard.
  2. With respect to fees:
    - a) Please charge Deposit Account No. 210765 in the amount of \$ 180.00.
    - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 210765. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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